

Education & health main concerns

As expected, health care and education topped the list of concerns at a sparsely attended all candidates meeting held Saturday night in Bobcaygeon. Just over 40 spectators were on hand for the evening which was sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce.

Incumbent, Progressive Conservative Chris Hodgson, defended his government's record over the past four years saying policies during the Mike Harris premiership had, "put the province back on track as a leader in the country." He said the government had created 540,000 new jobs during its mandate and unemployment had dropped from nine to seven percent. "As a result, new businesses have opened and 1200 people in Victoria-

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LITTLE THINGS GROWING: Like many in the Highlands these youngsters at Minden's CHACE Place Drop-in Centre have been tending to their gardening. Last week, with the help of parents and staff, they planted some seeds in a bed behind the centre. Now, with a some careful tending, the little seeds should grow up big and strong.

The muse is heard in the Highlands

Thalia voice has been heard. She sang, performed and all the other things she was planning to do this weekend at the first annual festival of women and the arts. The festival, named after the Greek muse, brought people from across the province to Minden to share music, food, art, and culture in the Highlands.

The three day celebration began with a concert on Friday evening at the Beaver Theatre, which was the site of Thalia's Quest, the culmination of several regional contests. Concerts were held in Kingston, Peterborough, Minden, Ottawa, Toronto and Montreal to select musicians, vocalists and spoken word artists to compete in the quest.

Those in attendance on Friday were amazed at the level of talent on hand, and enthusiastic about the performances. Many were astounded by winner Serena Rider, who, although still in her teens, can pack a musical wallop. As well, local musician Zoe Chilco and her band Funky Knees performed to the intimate crowd.

The following day, activities were available at both the Minden Community



THALIA SINGS: Singer Cynthia McMillan, left, of Bancroft and Chris MacLean from Ottawa, below, entertained at the cabaret Saturday, as part of the Thalia's Voice Festival. The weekend spotlighted women in the arts with music, art, lectures and more.



Centre, and Kinark Outdoor Centre. Those who missed out on the music the previous evening were treated to a cabaret atmosphere, as the regional performers entertained by candlelight. There was also a variety of displays and information booths to peruse.

Kinark Outdoor centre was the site of several workshops, with topics including the art of promotion, song writing, business partnerships and self motivation.

The highlight of the weekend was the Saturday night concert, featuring Heather McLeod and Head in the Clouds and the Cindy Church Trio. Stellar performances made for an excellent and entertaining weekend.

For those early risers, a Breakfast of Champions was held at the Old Country House in Haliburton, to discuss, art and the entrepreneurial skills required to market your self in today's art industry.

Although numbers were lower than anticipated, those who attended the women's festival were impressed and engaged in the various activities all week-end long.

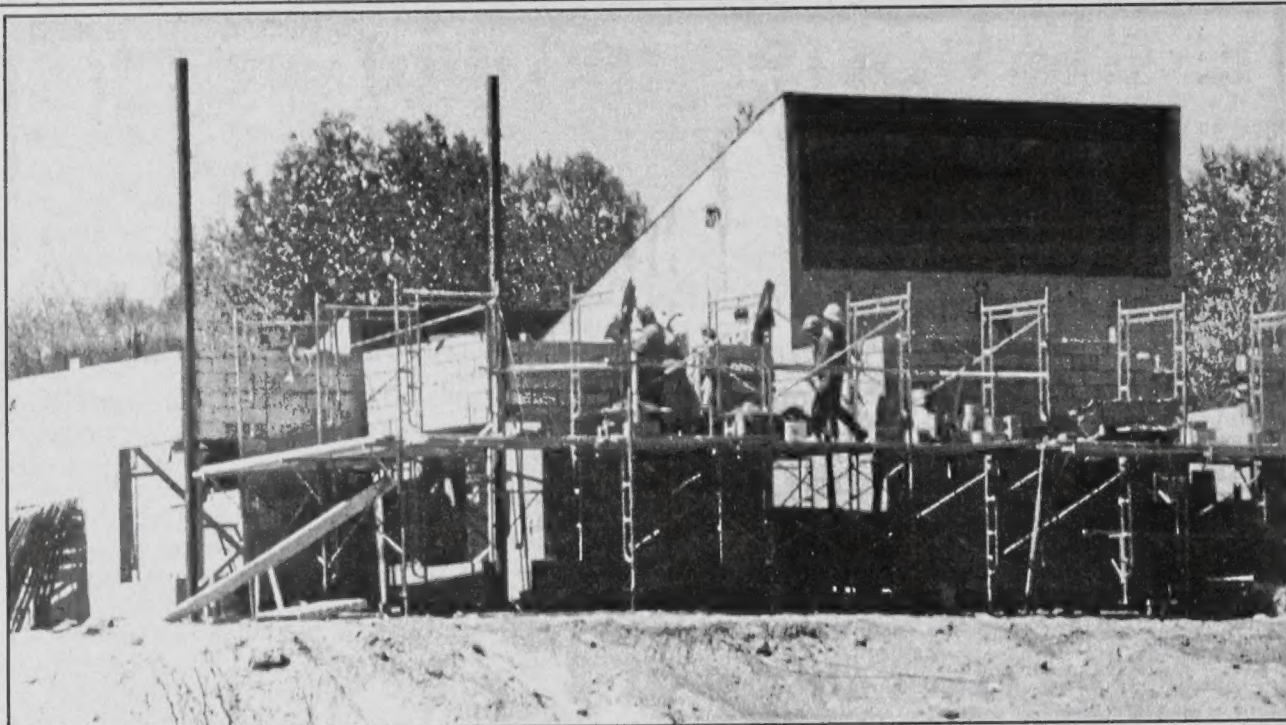
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Dean remanded in custody

Brian Dean, manager of the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce, was remanded in custody when he appeared in court last week in Lindsay.

Dean, 51, of Haliburton, has been charged with three counts of possession of child pornography, one count of making child pornography one count of unsafe storage of a firearm.

The Ontario Provincial Police Child Pornography Unit, with the help of Minden/Coboconk OPP, executed search warrants at both Dean's Haliburton home, which he shares with his mother, and the Chamber of Commerce office on Highway 35 in Minden. Dean's car, which was located at the Chamber office was also searched and photographed. According to witnesses in Minden, police roamed the grounds surrounding the chamber office and photographed the entire area.

Police seized two computers from the Chamber of Commerce, computer peripherals and disks, among other articles. According to police the disks and hard drive of the computers contained thousands of image files, believed to contain child pornography. These images portray pre-pubescent children, involved in candid and explicit sexual acts, including intercourse, oral sex and masturbation.

Dean was taken into custody that day and appeared at a bail hearing on May 17.

The charges against Dean are not unfamiliar to many in Haliburton County. Dean was convicted in June, 1987 of three counts of sexual assault, two counts of gross indecency and two counts of an indecent act under the Criminal Code of that time. The three male victims involved were minors at the time of the offences and were students at Cardiff Elementary School, where Dean was a special education teacher. Dean pleaded guilty to the charges and received a \$500 fine, a suspended sentence and three years probation.

Although the Chamber office was closed Friday afternoon, according to President Bryan Kernohan, it

was re-opened to the public on Saturday. Volunteers and a recently hired summer student have manned the office, which is a tourism and business information centre that represents The Highlands. "It has been business as usual," said Kernohan. "Everyone has been very supportive and the chamber has remained open. The chamber wasn't charged."

The board of directors for the chamber held a meeting on May 18 to discuss the situation. In a notice sent out to the chamber members, it was stated that the organization will set up a committee to conduct its own investigation, which, once concluded, will determine the status of Deans employment.

In the meantime, the board has appointed Snowdon Reeve and chamber member Ross Rigney, as the interim general manager. Kernohan noted that Rigney has experience in this type of situation, as he stepped when Haliburton County was without a chief administrative officer several years ago.

Brian Dean remains in custody and will appear in court today. The police investigation continues.

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Education and health hot issues with voters

(from page one)

Haliburton have been liberated from the welfare trap." He said the strong economy had allowed the government to spend more on education and health care.

His suggestion that the policies had created better conditions in Ontario were challenged by all of the candidates. Liberal Sharon McCrae said the government's tax cuts had done little for the average taxpayer, citing increased user fees, downloading to the municipal sector and an increase in the provincial debt of 27%. As an example, she said the government policies had resulted in thousands of nurses being laid off and that the government is now scrambling to rehire nurses to meet the health care needs of residents. "Shame on Mike Harris and his government," she said, after recounting a story about a patient in a hospital who was left waiting for personal attention because of a lack of staff. "Mike Harris and his government have compromised our health care, education and social support systems," to finance tax cuts.

NDP candidate Rick Denyer said the policies of the Conservatives had widened the gap between the rich and poor. "We don't want a system where our children have to sell chocolate bars to finance essentials for our schools," he told the gathering. He said the Liberals had little more to offer. Denyer said an NDP government would rehire nurses, keep schools

open and cut tuition fees for colleges and universities by 10%.

Independent candidate Brad Bradamore said the cuts made by the Harris government had ruined the province and pointed out the present government was quick to offer lots of promises on the eve of an election. "Maybe we should have an election a little more often if this is the only way to get things done," he said.

Charles Olito, representing the Freedom Party said he stood for a reduction in all forms of government. "We believe taxpayers know how to spend money better than politicians," and suggested, as an example, that taxpayers should be allowed to direct their education taxes to the schools of their choice.

Questions from the audience picked up on the health and education themes. One member of the audience, citing a personal experience, wondered why a patient who is institutionalized because of Alzheimer's disease should have to contribute up to \$27,000 to the cost of his annual upkeep, when, if the same patient was being treated for cancer, his medical bills would be covered by OHIP.

Hodgson responded by pointing out that in the ten years prior to his government taking office, no new long-term care beds were built in the province, but in the past four years 30 have been authorized in Haliburton County, 60 in Lindsay and the same

number in Fenelon Falls.

Asked about the doctor shortage, Hodgson said the government has proposed a number of measures to encourage medical graduates to stay in the province rather than moving to the United States. His party offers a program where graduates who agree to serve in under-served areas would have their education paid for. McCrae commented that it was great idea, one that had been "stolen" from her party, noting that it was part of the Liberal platform.

A questioner, who identified himself as a teacher, said he had yet to see any improvements to the education system. "I have never seen teachers more demoralized as they have been in the past four years." He predicted the trend would continue if the Conservatives were returned to office and that eventually the public system will be abandoned by everyone except those who can't afford to purchase education for their children elsewhere.

Hodgson said that spending in education had in fact increased and that the local board now has more to spend than it had before. "We have limited spending on administration, and protected the amount spent on special education," Hodgson said.

McCrae said the funding model which the government created isn't working. "We need to invest in students...give the schools what they need now to educate students and we won't have to spend the money later on boot camps," she declared. "We have to put a cap on class sizes, not rely on averaging them as this government has done."

In closing statements, McCrae accused the Conservatives of placing the province's health and education systems at risk and increasing the debt to finance the tax cuts. She noted while there may be more jobs in the province now, there are also more homeless and that many people must now hold more than one job to make ends meet.

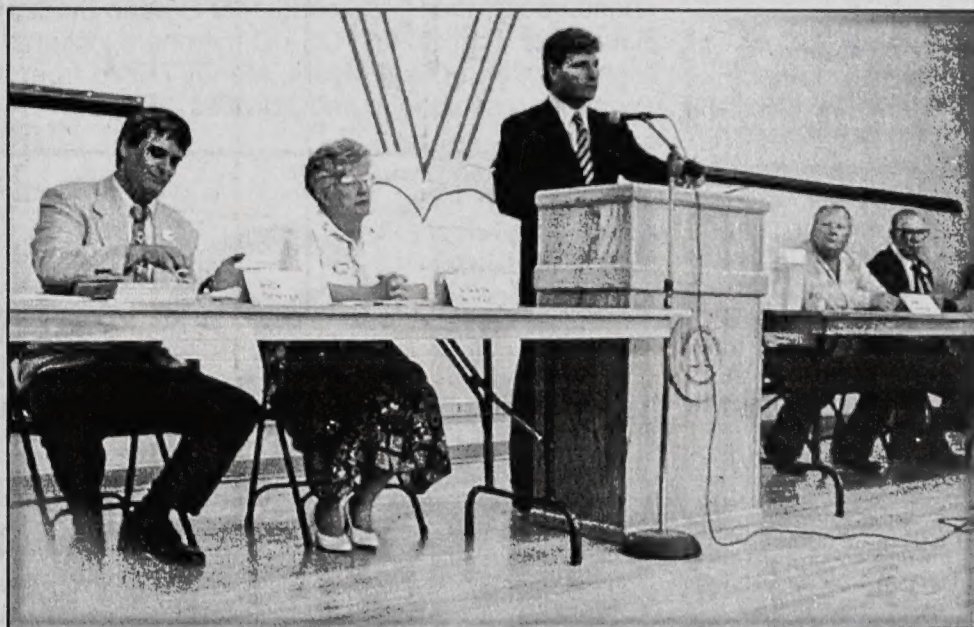
Hodgson countered by saying the growth in jobs is a reflection of his government's policy of decreasing taxes. He said the class size levels set by his government were reached after consultation with school boards and that there is now more money in the system. He pointed out that his government has delivered on the promises it made during the last campaign and will do the same again this time.

Denyer commented that the improved economy was a result of improvements to the US economy and the lower value of the Canadian dollar. He pledged his government would spend \$1.5 billion health and education, money, he said, would be gained by cancelling the tax cuts to those earning more than \$80,000 per year.

More hats in the ring

The selection for voters in the up-coming provincial election in Haliburton-Victoria-Brock has widened.

Returning officer for the riding Ruth Anne Matthews reports there are now six candidates registered for the June 3 vote. Joining incumbent, Progressive Conservative Chris Hodgson, Liberal Sharon McCrae, and NDP candidate Rick Denyer will be independent candidate Brad Bradamore, Natural Law hopeful Maxim Newby and Freedom Party representative Charles Olito.



Candidates for the riding of Haliburton-Victoria-Brock addressed the voters Saturday evening at a meeting at the Bobcaygeon Elementary School. The meeting was sponsored by the community's Chamber of Commerce. It appears an all-candidates meeting in the Highlands will not be held, as a convenient date for the participants could not be arranged. The candidates on the stage Saturday include, from the left, Rick Denyer NDP, Sharon McCrae Liberal, Chris Hodgson Progressive Conservative, Brad Bradamore independent and Charles Olito of the Freedom Party.

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Canada Day committee needs more volunteers

Items from the May 13 meeting of Anson, Hindon and Minden municipal council

Canada Day volunteers needed

During discussions of the Canada Day Committee minutes, Reeve Jeanne Anthon noted that there has been some concern expressed that there may not be enough volunteers to keep the Canada Day Celebrations going.

Councillor Daryl Moore said that the new Leo Club, the youth branch of the Minden and District Lions Club, has expressed an interest in assisting with the organization and operation of youth games and activities for Canada Day.

"They are going to be a real asset to the community," Anthon said.

Since the Minden BIA has informed the Canada Day Organizing Committee that it will not be able to donate as much funding toward the Canada Day celebrations as it has in the past, the committee will be looking for new ways to raise money for the event.

The popularity of Brian Moore and his Band, who performed prior to the fireworks display at the Minden fairgrounds last year has prompted the committee to hire the band for the

event again this year.

Other entertainers will be approached to see if they are interested in performing during the day.

Courteous students

Mrs. Betty Mark's Grade 5 class, from Archie Stouffer Elementary School, spent part of Thursday morning at the Anson, Hindon and Minden council meeting. The class toured the facility and spent half an hour observing council proceedings.

Reeve Jeanne Anthon introduced the members of council to the students. She observed that the students were very courteous and that they asked some "very pertinent questions."

Environmental hearing

At least one employee from the Municipality of Anson, Hindon and Minden is planning to attend an environmental hearing regarding the Woodland Ranch Development.

Reeve Jeanne Anthon supports the idea of the municipality keeping an eye on the progress of the Woodland Ranch development.

She said she hopes some information can be gleaned from that meeting.

"There's so little information re-

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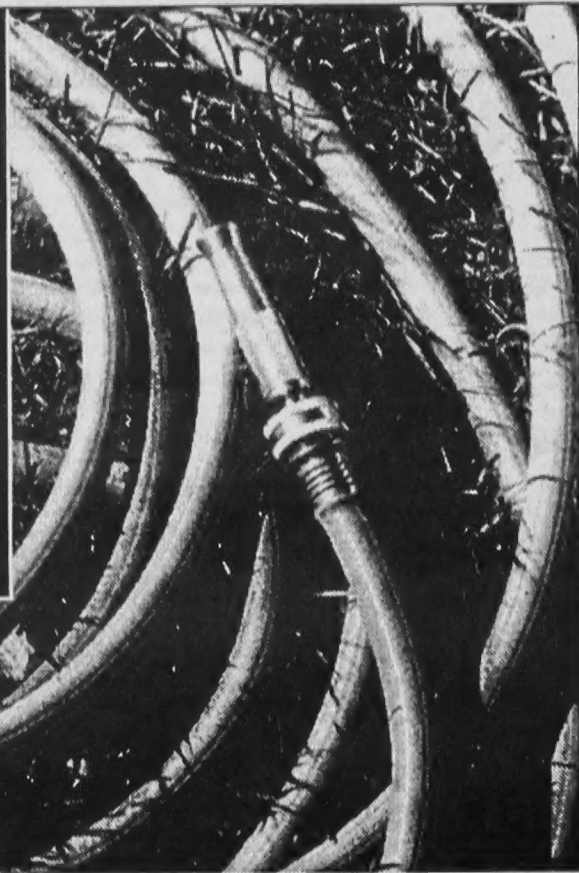
Splitting school

It was BYOB day at HHSS Friday. Students were invited to bring their own banana which would then be used to craft a tasty banana split. John Muise, left, was one of the students to take advantage of the fund-raising event sponsored by the HHSS chapter of Ontario Students Against Drunk Driving. Banana split artists and OSAID members included Amanda Robins, Martin Nicholson, and Geoff Myers. Money raised from the event will be used to sponsor presentations and activities next year.

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The program, known as the Young Eagles, was created by the American based Experimental Aircraft Association, to give children a chance to learn about flying, by enjoying a ride with an experienced pilot. Although many children have flown in commercial jets, the experience of flying in a smaller, single engine aircraft is a much more exciting and informative experience. The EAA's goal is to have flown with one million children by the year

2003, which is the one hundredth anniversary of the Wright Brothers initial flight, and the fiftieth anniversary of the Experimental Aircraft Association.

According to local organizer Barry Hart, in its six years of participation, the local group has taken over 600 children into the sky. Worldwide the Young Eagles program has enabled 480,000 children and 22,000 pilots to take a flying adventure. Hart said that the pilots are always happy to join in on the festivities. "I guess it's a way to share the blessing of being a pilot," said Hart.

Children between the ages of 8 and 17, can participate in the Young Eagles program on either June 5 or 6. Naturally, parental permission is re-

quired. A registration form must be filled out and signed by children's parents before the flight. A pre-flight check of the airplane is performed, giving the children an opportunity to learn about the different parts of the aircraft. Then it's up, up and away, for a short flight and the experience of a lifetime.

Once the Young Eagle has landed, he or she is given a certificate, marking participation in the program. The name of each child who has flown in the Young Eagles program will be listed in the world's largest logbook at the EAA Air Adventure Museum in Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

Children are welcome to attend the Young Eagles weekend, with flights leaving throughout the two days. For information about the program contact the Stanhope Airport.



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Letters

A little decorum, please

It is not surprising that voters are becoming disillusioned and disheartened. The current election campaign is slowly sinking into a mudslinging campaign of the lowest order. The political leaders, in particular, seem to be in some kind of race to the bottom when it comes to hurling insults. The exchanges do little to enlighten and only serve to feed the emotions of those who believe that a slogan is a political platform and yelling as loudly as possible somehow constitutes a political strategy.

This style of campaigning, if one dare to dignify what the leaders are

now doing as campaigning, has been imported from the United States, where attack advertising based on outright lies, innuendo and slurs is presented as a basis for making a decision. It is depressing to see those who want to lead this province stoop to this level. They not only demean themselves, they degrade the office they seek to hold and debase the democratic process.

The office and the process do not belong to the politicians, their spin doctors or their handlers, they are the property of the people. It is time

the politicians realize that the people whose trust they seek, do not approve of what they are doing to the system. They must realize that their short term goals benefit no one and will result in long-term harm.

The political leaders must stop acting like a pack of rabid dogs chasing some haggard bone. The voters want, expect and deserve better. Anyone seeking to serve as leader must raise the tone of public discourse during this campaign or lose the respect those he hopes to represent.

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Kids deserve better than this

Editor:

After reading the current letters to the editor and the press release from Chris Hodgson's office about the miracles the Tories are effecting on education, I think it would be a treat to visit the offices of the nerds who crank out press releases and propaganda for our MPs and MPPs. There is no way Chris could write that stuff with a straight face. His dad, Doug, was a fine teacher and one of the best principals I ever had. His aunt and his mother-in-law, are teachers of the finest order.

Ever since John Snobelen mouthed his "create a crisis" dictum, stupid decisions, one after another, have been forced on Ontario Education, from the stupid "College of Teachers" to the even stupider mandatory testing of experienced teachers. Any minister who would combine Victoria-Haliburton Muskoka into one large board with only one person to represent all of Haliburton is nuts.

Education needed a tune-up, not total destruction. Anyone who has had students go through our system knows there are some brain-dead teachers who managed to get on permanent staff. We also know there are teachers like Doug Mitchell, the Coopers and dozens of

others who are "pearls beyond price". Our daughter owes her degree to Sid and Doug.

The letter about teacher/pupil ratio was rather interesting. My largest class was 42, my smallest, a dozen or so special needs kids. Both take a lot out of you.

If Mike is re-elected and the PCs continue this insanity of underfunding

and overloading we'll have to go back to the days of six week emergency courses just to get bodies in the classroom. Our kids deserve better than this.

PS: I told Mike to thank God every day that the Liberals chose Dalton McGinty as their leader.

Bill Valentine,
Lutterworth.

'Apalling... obscene'

Editor:

I refer to the photograph on page 17 of last week's issue (May 17, 1999); Surely I am not the only person who thinks that this particular photograph is obscene - in the truest sense of the word.

Why, in Heaven's name, would young girls, Pathfinders or not, need to know how to operate handguns?

Also to publish this particular picture in light of recent events shows a breathtaking lack of sensitivity.

Caryl Moulton,
Haliburton.

Editor:

Considering the recent sad events involving firearms in both Canadian and American schools, it's absolutely appalling that a responsible publication such as *The Times* would devote an article, including photographs, to girls 11-14 years old handling and discharging weapons.

In light of the current environment, are the actions of *The Times* and the Pathfinder's Club appropriate? A high powered weapon such as a .357 Magnum handgun is designed for one sole purpose, and that's not target shooting.

H.D. von Richter,
Minden.

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Editor:

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In late April, while I was on a visit to the big city, a careless citizen set my bush on fire. It would appear that a cigarette butt was thrown from a passing vehicle. A friend of mine at the lake, William Altrater, noticed the smoke and called the fire department immediately.

I congratulate the members of the Minden Volunteer Fire Department for their swift and successful response. Only a couple of acres were damaged,

but if not for the great work of the volunteers, I could have lost so much or even worse we could have experienced a devastating forest fire which could have affected the whole community.

Words cannot express my gratitude, but thanks again to a special group of men who protect our community.

Ron Sullivan
Bob Lake

Searching for a civil society

Editor:

I have such profound problems with the platforms of the major political parties that I despair. However, I feel compelled to add my thoughts to the public discourse.

Almost all the people asking for my vote are appealing to my immediate self-interest, my selfish interests. My understanding of a civil society is that the citizens in it recognize that they must curtail their own selfish interests for the sake of the well-being of society as a whole. If we act primarily out of self-interest, society will cease to be civil.

So when a person asks for my vote with a promise of a tax cut, that person is not appealing to me as a citizen, that person is appealing to me as a consumer, to my selfishness. When a person asks for my vote because of all his party has given my community, while other communities have been

neglected, that person is appealing to my selfishness. When a person asks for my vote promising a special place at the table, that person is appealing to my selfishness.

Our society will continue to be a civil society only if we think like citizens. I think that means that we must give our votes to the people who demonstrate that they respect every individual in their constituency, to the people who are constantly striving for fairness, to the people who are not merely appealing to our immediate self-interest.

It is up to each of us to decide who is appealing to our sense of civic responsibility to be unselfish, who is inspiring us with a vision of a generous, caring society, and to give that person our vote.

Carolynn Coburn,
Minden

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The right to bare feet

It's a treat to beat your feet in the Mississippi mud

Old song lyric

I'll bet it is, too. I've never had the pleasure of walking barefoot along the shores of Tom's and Huck's old stomping — well, rafting — grounds, but I've had the sensual delight of watching and feeling gumbo ooze up between my toes in many another locale.

It's a poor man's massage. The best fun you can have with most of your clothes on.

A childish pleasure, you say? Perhaps it is. Now that I think of it, I haven't walked barefoot in the mud for about a quarter of a century. But I believe I just might give it a try this summer.

Because I've discovered the Dirty Sole Society.

It's a website, of course. A website devoted to folks who have rediscovered the simple pleasure of shucking shoes and socks and going around with their bare feet hanging out.

Not just at the beach, you understand. These folks go shopping in their

bare feet. They go dancing in their bare feet. They even hike and jog and climb mountains in their bare feet. A Calgarian barefooter by the name of Jay Winkler doesn't even let Canadian winters slow him down. He says he particularly loves bare-hoofing along a high mountain trail around Emerald Lake, B.C. because it takes him across every kind of terrain from sun-warmed grass to glacial ice.

But isn't that a little tough on the tootsies?

Not after you've gone barefoot for a few months, apparently. The unshod human foot soon develops a 'leathery' sole that makes it impervious to just about everything this side of sharp glass. As one enthusiast puts it "Sure, I stub my toe and scratch my feet from time to time. I also scrape my knuckles, catch my thumb in the car door, cut myself peeling potatoes and burn my fingers lighting candles — but I don't say to myself 'this would never have happened if only I'd been wearing gloves.'"

They're not fanatics about it. "I put on boots when I'm moving heavy or

bulky objects" says one. They regard shoes like hard hats and athletic supporters: a great idea when absolutely necessary. They wear shoes when there's a reason to. Otherwise they go au naturel from the ankles down.

They've got a point when you think about it. The reason our feet are so tender is that we keep them covered up most of the time. That's also the reason they're smelly. Bare feet don't stink — just feet that have been cooped up in shoes too long.

There's a better reason for going barefoot: it feels good. It is, like the song says, a treat to beat your feet in the Mississippi mud. Also to feel pine needles, spring grass and beach sand against the bottom of your feet.

Let the right wing whackos get their gotchies in a twist over the Right To Bear Arms. I'm more interested in my Right To Bare Feet.

As a matter of fact, wherever you are, whatever you're doing — stop. Right now. Reach down and pull those shoes off. Socks too.

Ahhhhh. Doesn't that feel grand? It's just like they say about going barefoot: it's good for the sole.

Arthur Black Etcetera

Mental health issues are not being addressed

Editor:

"Time is running out," said Pat Cawker, president of the Canadian Mental Health Association, Victoria County Branch. As the provincial election campaign gets into full gear, the Association wants to know about the commitment of various candidates to the mental health and housing issues in Victoria County.

Psychiatric hospitals have been downsized or closed without the re-allocation of resources to the community, creating a potential for crisis. We are concerned because during crisis, often policy makers react with fear and control, which fails to solve the original problem.

Current government plans fail to address some of the most basic issues. While seriously ill people go without services, we are rapidly losing another decade to impossibly slow progress.

Community Services are such an important element in Mental Health reform, that the portion of resources allotted to them was made the key measure of the progress of reform — the yard stick that would help us see how far we had come with reform and how far we had left to go.

In 1993, when reform was launched with

the publication of "Putting People First", approximately 75 per cent of the money spent by the Ontario Government on mental health services was spent on institutional care — that is, on hospitals. About 25 per cent of the expenditures in 1993 went to Community Services such as the services provided by the Branches of the Canadian Mental Health Association — supportive housing, employment supports, crisis, emotional and social supports, advocacy and public education.

No doubt mental illness is a very serious medical problem, yet it presents a complex of non-medical problems such as stigma, poverty, unemployment, homelessness, social isolation, unco-ordinated services, a fragmented system which is still dominated by the families and caregivers in the planning and the delivery of service systems.

In recognition of this reality, "Putting People First" set as a goal, the re-distribution of mental health spending so that 40 per cent is spent on institutional care and 60 per cent is spent on community services.

"So how are we doing, more than five years into the reform process?" asked Pat Cawker. "Have the yardsticks moved?"

In 1998, according to CMHA estimates on spending, the province spent 78 per cent on institutional care and 22 per cent on commu-

nity services. After five years, not only have the yardsticks not moved forward, they've actually moved back a little!

This is a truly dismal performance, after 35 years of shared concern, 10 years of planning, involving hundreds of organizations and a broad social and political consensus on what is necessary and no requirement for major new spending.

What is the problem? Why have we become paralysed? Does any political party care for the people with mental health problems and their families/caregivers?

Naresh James,
Executive Director of the Canadian Mental Health Association,
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Sports

Mixed Lob Ball

The Minden Mixed Lob Ball League plays every Wednesday at the Minden Community Centre/Fairgrounds diamonds, starting at 6:45 p.m.

HHSS boasts some top OFSAA (East) athletes

Haliburton Highlands Secondary School athletes continued to demonstrate their impressive abilities, earning accolades at the OFSAA East Region Track and Field Meet last week.

Following are the results for the HHSS competitors:

Midget Girls

400 metres - Tori Browne, ninth 1:18.0
80 metre low hurdles - Cassie Hie, third 14.5;
300 metre high hurdles - Danielle Casey, eighth 59.0; Ebony Scalf, ninth 1:01.5
Discus - Lesley Pearsell, first 21.12; Cassie Hie, eighth 16.80 metres
Javelin - Cassie Hie, sixth 17.52 metres; Lesley Pearsell, eighth 15.80
Shot put - Lesley Pearsell, ninth 6.27 metres

Midget Boys

100 metre high hurdles - Shane Lowes, fourth 16.9; Shea Horning, eighth 19.0
400 metres - Brad Gauley, 10th 1:02.5
300 metre high hurdles - Chris Jung, fifth 52.0; Shea Horning, seventh 53.0
Triple jump - Travis Bain, 10th 10.91m;
Javelin - Jamie Doan, fourth 42.78m; Rico Diego, eighth 36.62
Discus - Jamie Doan, second 36.90m; Adam Tomlinson, third 36.90m; Shot put - Travis Bain, second 12.25m; Adam Tomlinson, ninth 10.97m
Pole vault - Shane Lowes, first 2.50m; Ryan Wood, second 2.30m

Junior Girls

100 metres - Keegan Mackenzie, sixth 13.2
80 metre high hurdles - Jordana Bain, first 13.1; Emily Brandon, sixth 14.1; Jessica Swan, fifth 13.9
300 metre high hurdles - Jordana Bain, second 49.8; Jessica Swan, 11th 55.5
Long jump - Katie Cox, eighth 4.14m; Shot put - Liane Dron, second 9.06m;

Discus - Liane Dron, second 29.16m; Nicole Cooper, 10th 31.56m
Javelin - Nicole Cooper, fourth 28.26m; Liane Dron, sixth 26.24m

Junior Boys

110 metre high hurdles - Scot Curry, first 16.3; Aidan McKnight, fourth 18.4
300 metre high hurdles - Aidan McKnight, seventh 44.9
High jump - Josh Belcher, second 1.70m
Shot put - Kenny Mott, first 13.39m; Mark Comeau, 10th 10.44m; Discus - Kenny Mott, fourth 31.14m
Javelin - Mark Comeau, seventh 37.16m
Pole vault - Shane Campbell, first 2.50m

Senior Girls

100 metres - Meghan Kennedy, fourth 13.5; Amy Brandon, sixth 14.0
200 metres - Amy Brandon, fifth 28.6
400 metres - Caley Sisson, fourth 1:07.3; Lindsey Robertson, sixth 1:09.0
1500 metres - Stephanie Ratz, fourth 5:18.2
3000 metres - Stephanie Ratz, fifth 11:53.1
400 metre high hurdles - Kate Campbell, first 1:10.0; Kim Varty, fifth 1:19.6; Lindsey Robertson, fourth 1:18.2
100 metre high hurdles - Kate Campbell, second 16.0; Kim Varty, third 18.0; Lindsey Robertson, sixth 18.9
Long jump - Kate Campbell, first 4.42m; Meghan Kennedy, seventh 3.86m; Leah Anderson, 10th 3.28m
Triple jump - Carrie Huck, fifth 8.07m; Leah Anderson, sixth 8.00m
Shot put - Abbey Pearsell, fifth 8.21m; Nikki Fomenko, sixth 7.52m
Discus - Abbey Pearsell, first 23.48m
Javelin - Kori Roberts, sixth 27.64m

Pole vault, open girls - Caley Sisson, first 2.35

Senior Boys

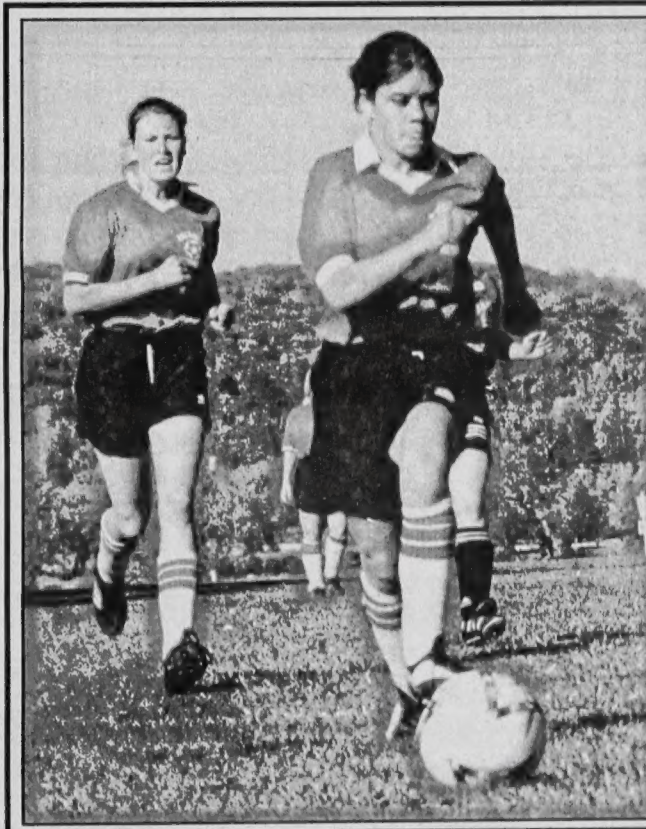
100 metres - Ashley Walker, fourth 11.4
200 metres - Jesse Sternberg, second 22.7; Ashley Walker, third 23.8; John Craig, seventh 25.1
400 metres - Jesse Sternberg, second 53.1
110 high hurdles - Mike Morissette, third 16.5; John Craig, fifth 19.4
400 metre high hurdles - Greg Simmons, third 1:02.5; John Craig, fifth 1:02.9
2000 metre steeplechase (open) - Nick Kulas, sixth, 7:35.7
Shot put - Matt Reid, seventh 11.39m; Nick Koz, eighth 11.33m

Discus - Matt Reid, third 37.18m
Javelin - Greg Simmons, third 44.62m
Long jump - Mike Morissette, sixth 5.85m; Trevor Moore, 10th 4.43m
Triple jump - Trevor Moore, 10th 10.37m
Pole vault - Greg Simmons, first 3.05m

Relays

4X100 - Junior Boys, second 46.9; Junior Boys B, fourth 49.1; Senior Boys, third 46.3; Senior Boys B, eighth 49.2
4X100 - Junior Girls, third 54.6; Senior Girls, second 53.6; Senior Girls B, ninth 1:00.6

4X400 - Open Boys, fourth 3:43.8; Open Boys B, ninth 4:00.0
4X400 - Open Girls, second 4:27.2



Speedy season

The 2 1/2 week girls' soccer season is over for the HHSS Redhawks. Both the Senior and Junior teams improved over the season. The seniors finished with a win and a tie in eight games, while the Juniors played some close games that went unrewarded. The action above is from a recent Senior Redhawks game in Haliburton. Seniors' coach Paul Klose said "it's looking good for next year."

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Local shooters bring back fond memories from World Fullbore Championships in South Africa

Burnt River residents Linda Miller and Keith Cunningham recently returned from the World Palma Long Range Fullbore Championships in Bloemfontein, South Africa. They were part of the Canadian team which competed with the top shooting teams in the world at ranges of up to 900 metres.

Fullbore competitions are shot with .308 Winchester (7.62 NATO) calibre rifles. Following is the first of two installments of Linda Miller's account of the couple's experiences at the event.

by Linda Miller

We have returned from South Africa... what a great experience! There's nothing like being with the best in the world to make you feel like you are part of the best in the world!

We were tied up with shooting matches six days a week, rising between 5 and 6 a.m. and returning to our hotel 12 or 14 hours later. By the time we had found supper, cleaned our rifles and prepared for the next day's events, it was bedtime (usually 9 p.m.). The weather was hot and dry. It took a few days to acclimatize, and then we were fine; needing a jacket in the early morning when it was only about 20°C.

The time difference is only 6 or 7 hours (depending on standard/daylight savings), but, as usual, in the Southern Hemisphere, our orientation is dis-oriented! Intellectually, you know that the sun is from the north, but your body/subconsciously thinks that it's the other way around. I kept drawing our navigation maps upside down!

Geographically, South Africa is beautiful, even the little bit we saw of it. Driving between our hotel and the range and the area nearby, we saw a wonderful lot of animals in the wild... impalas, springboks, ostriches, blesbok, gemsbok, zebras, giraffes, wildebeest, guinea fowl, dyk-dyks, etc. We frequently saw animals grazing (as best they could on the short dry grass) on the range while the matches were in progress. It continues to be the same no matter which country we are in - we always see lots of wild animals on the ranges.

Socially and economically, South Africa has a long hard road ahead. They desperately need to educate their children, but it's hard to imagine them getting to that when you see the incredible poverty that thousands endure.

Our trip took us briefly to Capetown and Johannesburg, but we stayed in Bloemfontein for the better part of our

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Linda Miller, seen here in her official Canadian Shooting Team uniform, checks out a machine gun at a Boer War display in South Africa. She is flanked by a pair of South African men dressed in British uniforms from the Boer War.

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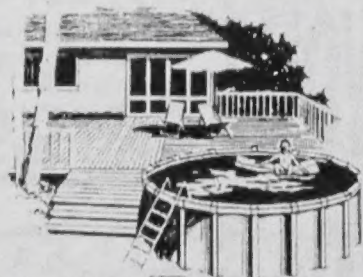
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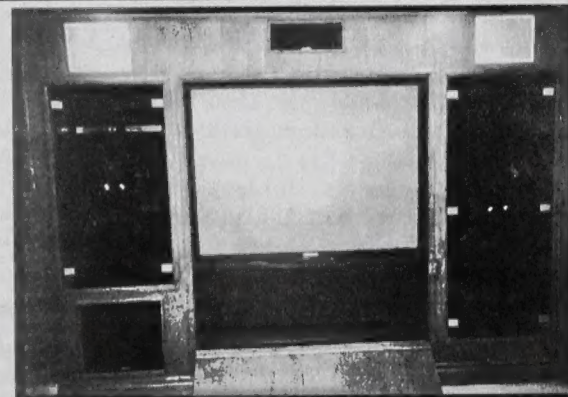
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Competition left little time to explore South Africa

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time there. Near Bloemfontein, we visited Paardeburg, the Boer War battle site that saw General Cronje surrender to the Royal Canadian Regiment. This was the first significant victory for the Brits, and a turning point for the outcome of the War.

Keith was in the RCR when he was in the regular forces. It was a strange feeling to be from the country of the victors, visiting the country of the vanquished -- on the hundredth anniversary. At the opening ceremony for the SA National Championships, a speaker commented on the Brits, Aussies, Kiwis and Canadians being here again -- looking for the same thing their forefathers had been looking for a hundred years ago -- gold, gold, gold! (Medals this time.)

Another little piece of history that put a little chill through me was the celebration of Anzac Day on April 25. You may know that the Aussies and the Kiwis disdain the Brits for sending them to slaughter in WWI. As part of our daily opening remarks and prayers, the Kiwis provided a remembrance and gave us all poppies to wear. I don't know how the Brits remember Anzac, but many of them wore the poppies.

(Next week, Linda Miller describes the challenges she and Keith Cunningham faced on the firing line)



Keith Cunningham is seen here at the battle site at Paardeburg, South Africa, where General Cronje surrendered to the Royal Canadian Regiment 100 years ago, almost to the day. It was the first significant victory for the British side and a turning point in the Boer War. The visit to the site had a special significance for Cunningham since he was a member of the RCR while he was a member of the Canadian Armed Forces.

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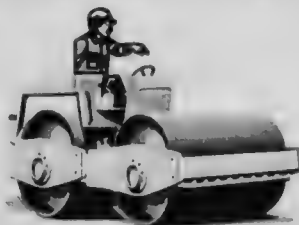
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Dysart orders new pumper truck for fire dept.

The following report is a summary of some of the items discussed at the May 10 regular meeting of the Dysart et al municipal council.

Fire Chief Miles Maughan requested council allow the fire department to place the official order for a new pumper truck. According to Maughan, the current truck is over 25 years old. Council accepted the request and will replace the truck at a cost of about \$156,000 plus tax. Maughan hopes that the truck, which is being built in Carleton Place, will be delivered sometime in September of this year.

Skateboarders on the move

Council approved a request that the Dysart skateboard park change its venue to an area between curling club and the land ambulance station. The original site was near Head Lake Park, but it was felt both by council, representatives of the recreation committee and youth that the parking lot near the curling club would be a preferable area.

Drag River project construction

Dan Selbie, the manager of the Drag River Rehabilitation Project and Nathan Koz, a Haliburton Highlands Secondary School student made a presentation regarding the construction of a foot bridge, as part of the ongoing renovations.

The Drag River project is a concerted community project to enhance the Drag River spawning beds for walleye and create a park-like walkway along the water's edge. "The overall goal is to rehabilitate the aesthetics and create spawning opportunities for walleye," said Selbie, a fourth year Environment Science student.

The project involves several groups, including the municipal-

ity, the Trails and Tours Network, the high school, and many other volunteers.

Selbie and Koz requested permission to construct a bridge as part of the walkway along the river, that would span an existing culvert. The materials were donated by Peter Schlieffenbaum of the Haliburton Forest, and will be sturdily constructed of 12x12 hemlock. The foot bridge will also accommodate the width of a snowmobile.

Deputy Reeve Bill Davis congratulated Selbie on the work that the volunteers and he were doing. "I want to commend you for undertaking this. It is an area which we haven't exploited for tourism," said Davis. Council gave the delegation a verbal approval to go ahead with the plans.

Sewer hook-up request

Fay Martin, the executive director of Family Services of Haliburton County, requested council give the non-profit

group a financial break on the sewer system hook-up fee, required for the group's new building. Family Services is in the process of constructing a separate building on its property to accommodate meeting facilities. Martin felt that the connection charge, \$12,300 was a cost, "...unwarranted and unfair," as the building was not a residence and would not include office space.

Martin noted that the current employees work mainly out of the office. "I think that

you can see that our utilization is quite minimal. We don't anticipate that there will be very much more service," said Martin.

Bill Davis noted that if the municipality gave Family Services a break on the sewer hook-up then others would also want a deal.

Council agreed to look into the situation and possibly reduce the hook-up fee by one unit, which would amount to \$3,500.

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Dry spring leaves Trent-Severn scrambling for water

The following report was compiled by the Peterborough office of the Trent Severn Waterway

Driver charged

This past autumn, winter On May 15, a member of the Minden/Coboconk detachment of the OPP arrested a male on County Road One in Dysart Township.

The officer observed the driver leave Haliburton, travelling southbound. He swerved into the oncoming lane several times, before he was stopped by police.

Further to the investigation, Terrance J. McKellar, 38 of Mississauga was arrested and charged with impaired driving and having a blood alcohol level over the legal limit. McKellar was scheduled to appear in Minden Court on May 20.

Counterfeit Money found in Fenelon Falls

OPP were called in to investigate a report of counterfeit money at the Bank of Montreal in Fenelon Falls.

A bank employee reported that a counterfeit \$20 bill had been deposited via the bank machine.

Local residents and merchants should be aware of this incident. If any counterfeit bill surfaces in the community please report it to your local detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police.

and spring, the Trent and Severn watersheds have experienced precipitation far below normal. As in the rest of the Great Lakes basin, this has resulted in low runoff and lakes that are not as full as normal for this time of year.

The Haliburton area lakes rose to a peak of about 83 per cent of their usual range. This is 15 per cent below the normal

of about 98 per cent and was only achieved by reducing the outflows well below their usual minimum.

Along the Kawartha the lakes did not overfill to their usual extent, but they have been held full and are at navigation levels. So far no water has been drawn from Haliburton to help maintain them, but such a draw is likely to occur

before the usual time of mid-June. Cooler, wetter conditions could delay this, but given the present trend of the weather that is not expected.

Lake Simcoe-Couchiching, like the Haliburton Lakes, did not fill this spring either. It is presently about 20 centimetres below the full level, and usually in May it would average above the full level. Without

significant rainfall it will be lower than usual all summer. It is now in its navigation range, but at a level normally not seen until mid-August.

Despite the lower than normal flows available, navigation levels have been achieved and are holding all along the route of the Trent-Severn. The navigation locks opened Friday, May 21.



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Although John specializes in Canadiana, he is extremely ver-

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Customers are invited to bring John pictures of furniture they would like to have made or select an item from the collection of pictures, blueprints and designs at his shop. There, he is always happy to discuss your ideas and offer suggestions and sketches.

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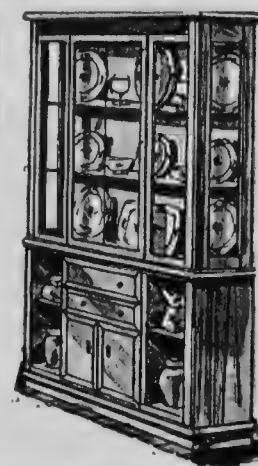
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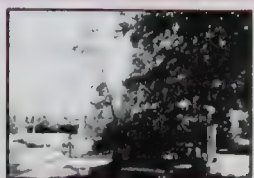
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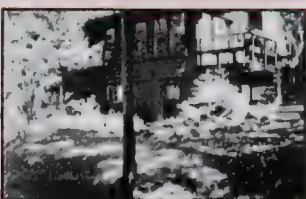
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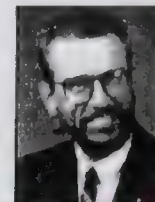
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AHM to attend hearing

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garding what's going on out there," she said.

The hearing will address the Woodland Ranch application to remove water from Little Soyers Lake.

It has been suggested that Woodland Ranch officials had abandoned the proposal to build a golf course, but Reeve Anthon said she has heard that the golf course proposal is "back on the table."

Dombind

The issue of whether Dombind is a safe material to use as dust suppressant on municipal gravel roads continues to generate discussion.

Deputy-Reeve Jerry Rome asked AH&M Public Works Superintendent Clayton Cameron what material is used in place of Dombind on roads that skirt or cross water courses. Cameron ex-

plained that the approved material is calcium.

Rome noted that calcium is more toxic than Dombind.

"I'm not a scientist," Rome said, "but it doesn't make sense to me."

Timbersport championships

Members of the Ontario Timbersport Championships Committee are in the process of contacting sponsors for the 1999 event, which will be held on Minden's main street on Saturday, June 12.

Registration is in line with 1998. By the end of April, a total of 32 people had registered for the competitions. That is one less than the same time last year.

Some of the big names from previous years, such as Engaser, Jewitt and Dupere, are among those who are already signed up for the 1999 championships.

Man charged with mischief

The following report was compiled by the Minden/Coboconk detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police.

A Haliburton man has been charged with mischief after a video camera was found in the washroom of a Haliburton village business.

A female employee advised police that she had discovered a videotape at the store. According to the police the tape showed her using the staff washroom.

She advised police that while using the washroom, she heard a buzzing noise coming from behind some boxes. When she checked, she found a video camera and tape. She viewed the tape, which had recorded her using the washroom.

Ontario Provincial Police obtained the video and executed a search warrant at Perfect Prints. Seized in the search were a Kodak Royal Camcorder, compact video and cassette.

The owner of Perfect Prints, Luke Schell, 42, of Haliburton was charged with mischief. He will appear in Minden court on July 7.

Fatal fire

Police have identified the three people involved in a fatal fire in a house on Deep Bay Road on May 16.

The fire started in the early morning hours at a residence belonging to Eric Cius, 51 and Bonnie Caldwell, 44, both of Peterborough.

According to OPP reports, Cius smelled smoke and fled from the house. He then returned and pulled Caldwell out of the burning building through the bedroom window.

Another individual who was staying in the house, perished in the fire. Dead is Adrian Michielson, 53, of Peterborough. The results of the post mortem show that Michielson died of smoke inhalation.

According to witnesses, who were at the scene early in the morning, the phones in the area were not in service, which hampered efforts to contact emergency personnel.

Eric Cius was transported to

Sunnybrook Hospital in Toronto with burns to 15 per cent of his body. According to officials at the health centre, Cius was listed as serious early in the week.

Calwell was sent to Peterborough Regional Health Centre with smoke inhalation. Her conditions appear to be stable.

Break, enter and thefts

On May 12, OPP investigated a break-in at a cottage on Shangri-la Road in Stanhope Township. The owner advised that the incident had occurred after November of 1998. Stolen was a Husquvarna chainsaw.

The following day, police investigated two break-ins, one on Redkin Drive in Guilford Township and a house on former Highway 503 in Glamorgan Township.

Thieves made off with two televisions and a stereo from the Guilford area cottage. The break-in in Glamorgan township netted thieves a large haul including power tools, a lawn tractor, a dishwasher, microwave and a big screen television.

Police investigated a break-in May 14 at a cottage on the fifth concession of Glamorgan Township. Stolen were a stove, washer, dryer and some plants.

The same day an investigation occurred at a cottage on Ski Trail Road in Glamorgan Township sometime after May 1.

Break-ins at two cottages on Duck Bay Road in Sherborne Township were investigated on May 14. Stolen from the locations were a television, a VCR, a chainsaw, an outboard motor and several tools.

On May 17, OPP investigated the theft of a 1981 Yamaha motorcycle from a home on Reed Boulevard in Somerville Township.

The same day, police investigated a theft of a red Vulcan 3,000 pound hydraulic lift which was stolen from a residence on Mountain Road in Bexley Township.

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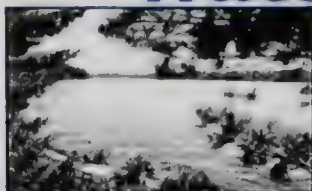
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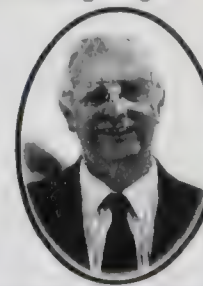
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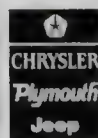
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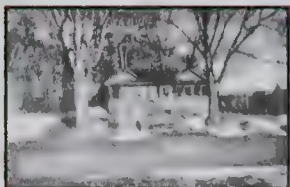
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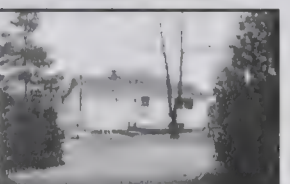
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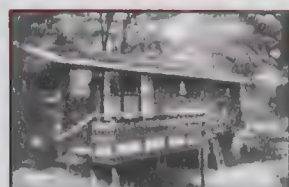
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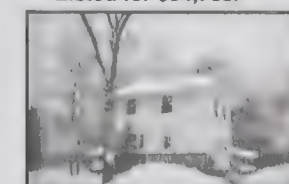
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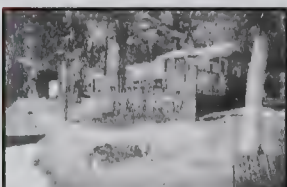
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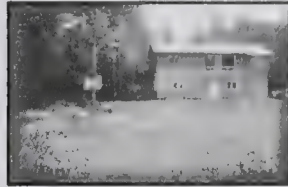
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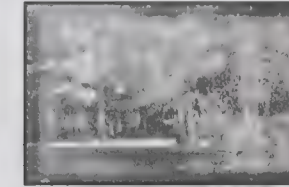
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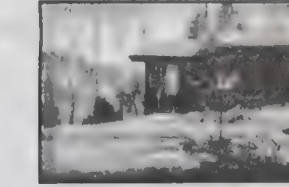
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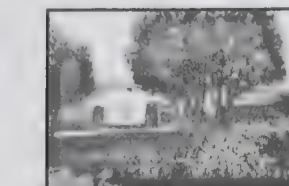
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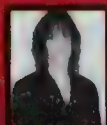
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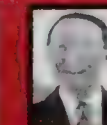
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HCSA looks back on another successful year

The following report is a summary of some of the items discussed at the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association's Annual General Meeting, held at the PineStone Resort on May 15.

Trail report

Trail chairman Bob Picard reported on the condition of the HCSA trails this season.

"Although Mother Nature didn't always co-operate, we still had a great season," said Picard. He reviewed some of the improvements the trail committee had been working on over the past season, including: better signage; major bulldozing done along trails; new bridges over Anson creek, the South Lake bridge, the Firehall bridge, the Devil's Staircase, Three Brothers, the Corben bridge; and work along the B Top trail.

Picard also noted that the groomers had logged 2,500 hours on the trails. He thanks Paul Daigle, Bill Wilson and Jim Hicks for their efforts this past season.

Ways and Means

Marj Kennedy reported on behalf of Pat Burke for the Ways and Means committee. She stated that the group sold \$4300 in Consumer's Choice tickets.

Some of the highlights of the year included a parade float in both the Haliburton and Minden Santa Claus parades, the purchase of plaques for the stores which sold permits, the creating of the Highland Trail newsletters, a donation to the 4 C's, the mid-winter colouring contest, the HCSA open house and the Spring Appreciation BBQ.

President's Report

HCSA President Steve Berry discussed a controversial topic within the group, concerning paid employees. He stated that this has caused a rift in the past, but Berry believes that it must be done. "We are creating more paid positions but we still rely on volunteers. I believe that volunteers are the backbone, but some positions are so time consuming that volunteers cannot fulfill the work," said Berry.

He also noted that one of his goals as president was to increase communication between executive members. He noted that the group was trying to make decisions with more executive members present and keep everyone informed about what was going on.

"I believe that we have had a difficult but successful season. I thank every volunteer for their dedication to the cause," said Berry.

Membership

Myrlene Foster told the group that there had been an increase in memberships purchased, with 3,487 this year. Last year's membership sales totalled 3,323. Foster said that the productive season was the result of several members, including the husband and wife teams of the Gemmells, the Campbells, the Burkes, as well as Ann Reynolds, and Wanda Evans.

Trail Wardens' Report

Wayne Chinnery reported that there had been 10 active wardens throughout the season. This year the wardens encountered a 93 per cent compliance rate, with some charges still being investigated. He noted

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Larry Tupling, Vice-President of the Algonquin Snowtrail Alliance, addresses the annual meeting of the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association, held at the PineStone Resort on May 15.



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Stepping lively, participants in this year's Minden Sneaker Day make the turn onto the Minden Trail System behind the Library/Museum Complex. 108 walkers took part in this annual event held to encourage walking as a healthy activity for young and old. The Minden Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion registered 19 walkers while 12 participants from the Toronto Dominion Bank, (100% of the staff) registered. Both organizations received a fruit basket for their efforts. Other draw prizes were awarded to: Ethel Robinson, Laurie Watson, Don Berry, Betty Curry, Barb Cameron, Tom Burnside and Earl MacMillan.



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New executive for HCSA

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that the wardens reported that at the end of the season, more sleds without permits were found.

Reporting on the STOP program, Chinnery said that the season had been quite successful. "Our area was the most active in Ontario and the province is happy with our progress," said Chinnery.

Radar testing, which was conducted on the Sherborne area trails, met with mixed feelings. It was felt that accuracy needed to be improved. Larry Tupling mentioned that the radar testing would be more effective after hours when the restaurants and bars close.

Algonquin Snowtrails Alliance

Larry Tupling reported on the new alliance that has been formed with the HCSA,

the Maple Leaf Snow Skimmers, the Paudash Trail Blazers, the Whitney Madawaska Nighthawks, and the Snowcrest Riders of Gravenhurst. Tupling is the vice president of the organization, with the headquarters located in Haliburton. The organization aims to be a regional body, looking after the common interest of all clubs. "The ASA came to being after the hard work of a lot of people," said Tupling. "Now we are not taking little steps, we are running." According to Tupling,

the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs predicts this as the future of snowmobiling in the province.

New Executive

An election was held to establish the new executive for the 1999-2000 season. Steve Berry was named president by acclamation. This will be Berry's second year as the head of the HCSA. Elected First Vice President was Guard Campbell, Second Vice President Bob Bryant, and Treasurer Joachim Matysek. The position of

secretary was not filled, as current secretary Dave Freeman stepped down, with no candidates coming forward. The matter was tabled to the first executive meeting.

Driver Education

Dave Freeman reported that 83 students between the ages of 12 and 69 participated in the HCSA Driver Education Program, with a 100 per cent passing rate. He said that the OFSC was impressed with the results of the courses, which exceed the provincial body's standards.



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Something positive has come from an accident that claimed the life of Ellen Tofflemire and seriously injured Kevin Hewitt near Kinmount in February of 1997. The vehicle which was driven by Tofflemire hit a patch of black ice on Highway 503, east of Kinmount and ended on its roof, trapping both occupants. "The local fire crews worked very hard, using the limited tools they had, but to perform this kind of rescue, they needed to get equipment from outside the township," Hewitt said. As a result, Hewitt vowed to start a "Jaws of Life Fund" in memory of his companion. The Jaws of Life Fund was set up to honour Ellen's name as a person who helped others and to provide the necessary tools to help prevent this tragedy from occurring again." Just over two years later, the \$30,000 was raised and an Amkus Classic Three Rescue System was purchased. The unit was presented to the Somerville Fire Department at a special ceremony at the Burnt River Fire Hall. Somerville Fire Chief Dean Spry, left, and Somerville Reeve Dianne Austin are seen here with Kevin Hewitt.



Voters have until June 2 to ensure they are on the list

Qualified voters who will have the opportunity to vote for the first time in Ontario are urged to ensure they have their names added to the voters list. Included in this group are new residents of the province who are Canadian citizens and 18 year-old Canadian citizens who have become eligible to vote for the first time. Individuals should contact their local returning officer to ensure they are able to vote.

Names of qualified voters may be added to the voters list up to 8 p.m. on Wednesday June 2, by visiting the office of the local returning officer.

The returning officer for Haliburton Victoria

Brock is Ruth Anne Matthews and the office is located at 370 Kent St. West in Lindsay at the Whitney Town Centre. The phone number is 328-0368. The location of other returning offices in other ridings may be found by calling Elections Ontario at 1-888-ONT-VOTE. Information can also be found at the Elections Ontario website at <http://www.electionsonline.on.ca>

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Thank You

On behalf of the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association, we would like to thank all members, volunteers, HHS students and MNR staff for all their support and back breaking contribution that went into making the Haliburton Fish Hatchery's 2nd Annual Open House a great success.

Special thanks to the Burnt-Indale Fisheries Enhancement Association for the loan of their fish pond which certainly was the main attraction, and for their assistance in helping to operate it. We are sure all the parents whose children visited the hatchery on Sunday May 2nd would say hats off to Woody and Wade Woods for cleaning all those rainbow trout.

Last but not least, thank you to all the community who supported the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association by attending the Hatchery Open House. A good time was had by all. See you next year.

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(File No. S-98-09)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
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 tered Plan No. 1, Town Plot of Minden, Township of
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to
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Four generations of the Hoyle family were on hand for a baby shower recently at the Lochlin Community Centre. Two week old Tayler Nelson was the centre of attention for the occasion, along with his mother Annette Nelson, grandmother Sharon Sisson, left, and great-grandmother Mildred Hoyle (Kernohan), seated.



Minden Women's Institute May meeting

submitted by Mary Cox of the Minden Women's Institute

The President Jean Cox opened the May 19 meeting of the Minden Women's Institute and welcomed everyone.

Twelve members answered the roll call, each showing a photo of their school days.

Irene Moore reported sending out 13 cards. The collection for this, and Pennies for Friendship, was taken.

The installation of the new officers was conducted by Irene Moore. The District Director Mary Cox gave the report of the District Annual which was held in Fenelon Falls with six members from our branch attending the meeting.

The president informed us of the Quilt Show on July 31 and August 1, and several ladies will bring quilts for show.

Arrangements were made by the members who will

be serving lunch at the Cultural Centre for the visitors of the Home and Garden Tour on July 17.

The Programme Planning Meeting for executive members is set for June 2 at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Denzil and Jean Cox.

Bea Berry, convenor of education and cultural activities told us about the newly formed northern part of Canada called Nunavut. Paul Okulike is the government leader. About 95 per cent of the people are supported by the Federal Government but they hope to increase their revenue from tourism and mining. She was thanked by the members.

The next meeting is at the Library Cultural Centre and is Pot Luck at noon. Please bring dishes, cutlery and food. All ladies are welcome to attend.

Following the adjournment of the meeting, a delicious lunch was served by Bea and Dawn. Irene was auctioneer for our plant sale. Many thanks to Bea Berry for having us at her home.

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Residents take in the sights

Residents enjoy trip to Huntsville

Well it's that time of the week for us to sit down and chat with you once again. Hope everyone had a good week. We have had some good times.

As we mentioned in last week's column we did not have a Tea Party last Thursday (May 13). Instead a good crowd of us headed to Huntsville for the day. Those who went reported a great time. We always enjoy a good bus ride. It gives us a chance to see some of the countryside and what a treat it is now that everything is so green. Many thanks go to the staff and volunteers that made this outing possible. Lots of fun!

The following day we enjoyed a great sing-song with Jack and Ruth Worthington and in the afternoon Bert Bonnell was there on piano for our Happy Hour. Wonderful music for us all!

We were saddened to hear of the death of Evelyn Cox on Friday, May 14. Our sympathy to her family and friends.

Our weekend was fairly quiet, with just a few visitors dropping by. Dan Millard was here for our Sunday Chapel Service. We were very pleased to welcome his wife who sang "Amazing Grace" for us. What a beautiful voice she has. Ruth Worthington was also here for the Service and played piano for us.

Our week began with our Residents' Council Meeting on Monday. We had our usual crowd attend. We opened our meeting with O' Canada and God Save the Queen. Our resident canaries, Peter and Paul decided to join in. The only problem is they don't stop singing when the music does. They make for a fun time, trying to hold a meeting in competition with their songs. Never mind we had a good laugh over it.

Also attending by invitation, was the newly formed Community Advisory Group. This committee advocates for the Residents of Hyland Crest and is made up of family members and volunteers. They were present at the meeting to visit us and find out

what the Residents' Council is all about.

Later in the evening, quite a few of us gathered for a good game of cards. The next morning we enjoyed Rev. Wicks at morning Chapel. That evening, "A Joyful Noise" was here. Good to have them back with us. Doris Alton played piano for them and Linda was invited to join in.

It was a great time with wonderful music.

Wednesday night was Pub Night. Everett and Ted were here and provided us with terrific entertainment. Many thanks! Today (the 20th) is our Tea Party. The Haliburton Highland Golfers are scheduled to host. We are looking forward to having them with us.

We have another upcoming birthday to celebrate. Corinne Bonneville on May 27th. Happy Birthday Corinne.

Remember - meeting for volunteers on Tuesday, May 25 at 2 p.m. here at Hyland Crest. Guest speaker will be Sandra Frise from the Alzheimer Society, speaking on visiting the nursing home resident. This meeting is open to anyone from the community who wishes to attend.

Before we sign off we would like to pass on this message from Linda: We hope some of you have been thinking of volunteering here. We still need you. You may ask yourself "what's in it for me". Sometimes it is simply the chemistry of kindred spirits that bonds the friendship, or the fascination of hearing stories from a person who has lived through a wealth of experiences. For anyone who may be considering the adventure of volunteering, the management and staff of Hyland Crest welcome and value volunteers' participation on the care team and welcome them in our home. Think about it please. Until we sit down with you again, enjoy your week and we wish you all a safe and happy Victoria Day weekend.

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by the Roving Reporters

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH NOTICE OF PASSING OF A ZONING BY-LAW

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth passed By-law No. 19-99 on the 13th day of May, 1999, under Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13, as amended.

THE PURPOSE of By-law No. 19-99 is to amend By-law No. 4-81, the comprehensive Zoning By-law, as otherwise amended, of the Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth. The amending By-law serves to expand the boundaries of those lands zoned within the General Industrial Exception Seven (M1-7) Zone, and to provide for an expanded range of permitted non-residential uses within the General Exception Seven (M1-7) Zone.

THE EFFECT of By-law No. 19-99 is to rezone the more southerly portion of lands in question, having an area of approximately 5384 square metres (i.e. 1.3 acres) from the Extractive Industrial (M2) Zone to the General Industrial Exception Seven (M1-7) Zone; and to expand the range of non-residential uses permitted within the General Industrial Exception Seven (M1-7) zone to include a building supply outlet, a business and professional office where such use is ancillary and incidental to a permitted non-residential use, a farm implement and related equipment sales and service establishment, a general contractor's or tradesman's yard and related shop facilities, a machine or welding shop, a printing or publishing establishment, self-service storage units, a warehouse or wholesale establishment, a workshop, and, the outside storage of goods and materials where such use is ancillary and incidental to a permitted non-residential use. Upon coming into force and effect, By-law 19-99 will also fulfill a condition of a consent to a land severance file #H-041/98.

THE LANDS AFFECTED by By-law No. 19-99 are legally described as Part Lots 4 & 5 in Concession 12 and located adjacent the north-westerly limits of Highway 35 in the Township of Lutterworth.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that any person or agency may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the By-law by filing with the Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth not later than the 14th day of June, 1999, a notice of appeal setting out the objection to the By-law and the reasons in support of the objection, accompanied by the fee prescribed under the Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Only individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a zoning by-law to the Ontario Municipal Board. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group.

Dated at the Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth this 25th day of May, 1999.

(Ms.) Mary Jane Irwin, Clerk
Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth
P.O. Box 850,
Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-16/97

Take Notice that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth, proposes to enact a by-law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

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The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its Regular Meeting at the Municipal Office, located three miles south of Minden on Highway #35, on the 27th day of May, 1999 at the hour of 7:00 p.m. and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 26th day of April, 1999.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
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Around the County Town

by Nora Snyder (call 286-4450 or fax 286-4425)

I was in Guelph when the rain hit but I assume it fell here too last week. What a relief. Much more is needed of course but it was a start. Yes, I was in Guelph to see my grandson. He was taken out of nursery school for the day so that he and granny could "hang out". We had a great day. Guelph is a beautiful city with the river running through and I often wonder if Minden appeals to me so much because of the similarities between the two. Clement and I and another dear friend of mine had lunch at the "Boat House" restaurant, right at the bridge on the Speed River on Gordon Street, for those of you who know Guelph. After lunch we sat on chairs outside to eat our ice cream cone and watch the birds and things going on, on the river. Clement saw a beaver dam up stream. We saw goslings with very protective parents. A few fish jumped. Right in the middle of the city. Sounds like a good plan for the corner of our bridge, right in the middle of the village !!

I feel I must mention my reaction to seeing the picture and the article in the paper last week, of the Pathfinders and Rangers being taught "gun safety". I was most upset seeing and reading about those young children learning about hand guns. With the shooting events happening in our own community, in the schools of our country and the United States, (I just heard on the news another one has happened in Atlanta), and war happening in many places, I wonder about the wisdom of this education. Aren't we learning and haven't we learned, through devastating experiences that hand guns kill? It doesn't seem to me that safety is the issue; guns are the issue!!

There is a great yard sale to attend on Saturday, May 29 at Ingoldsby United Church from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. For information please call 286-1077 or 286-1473 or just find your way to Ingoldsby on the search for treasures.

The Minden and District Horticultural Society invites you to its monthly meeting on June 1, 7:15 p.m. at the Minden Community Centre, upstairs at the new entrance, (please note the new location). Also for those who get the horticulture news letter, the meeting date is incorrectly printed as June 8.

The meeting is on Tuesday, June 1!! The presentation this month will be a video on the Lily Farm in Orono, Ontario, called "You're in the Hayfield Now". The video is a guide to growing and hybridizing Day Lilies in Canada. It is rhubarb month and everyone is invited to bring their favourite rhubarb dessert.

On June 4 at the Gazebo, at the bridge on the river (!!!), is the famous and wonderful Spring Plant Sale put on by the horticulture members. The sale will not begin until 2:00 p.m. I recommend you get there early!!

The first big weekend of the summer has been and gone!! Everyone was back at the cottage; opening up; getting ready for the hazy, lazy days of summer ahead. Here's wishing us all a good season!!

SCORING NEWS

These are the last Euchre scores from Gelert for the season!! They close down for the summer. Too many other things to do!! There will be cards in Lochlin this Tuesday evening and then we won't hear about cards from that part of the county until September!! So on the last night in Gelert, Dorothy Milburn and Isabel Saunders were high and low woman. Gerald Hicks and Don Curry were high and low for the men. Don Hicks won lone hands and Betty Hicks won the 50/50 draw. Have a great summer!!

Continuing, with numbers increasing, is Bid Euchre at Stanhope. In fact they had a really good pot luck evening last week with enough players for 12 tables!! There were also 14 moonshots won that night!! The winners were as follows: Garth Windsor had a score of 283; Helen Lee, 287; Sharon Evans, 292; Gala Stamp, 298; and Vicki Campagnolo, 333.

On May 17, at the Friendship Club at St. Paul's Church, lots of friendship happened!! Good cards too. Verna McDonald won lone hands. Marie Dennie was high woman and Norm Lee was high man. Ellie Langpohl was low woman and Jack Chilton was low man. Ellie Langpohl won the 50/50 draw.

At the Minden Legion, Branch 636, on Thursday, May 13, playing Euchre,

Ellie Langpohl and Milton Fletcher, both won most lone hands. The high scorers were Marie Dennie and Truman McNeil. Low scorers were Verna McDonald and Helen Henderson. George Parks, Helen Skelding, Harvey Bunker and Margaret Fletcher won the other prizes.

On Monday evening, May 17, playing Cribbage, Joey Hovey and Jean Scadden were the top scorers. Brenda DeGuire and Jean Scadden won the draws.

On Tuesday, May 18, in the afternoon, playing Seniors Bid Euchre, Ruth Kellett, Gala Stamp and Pat Roussel placed in the top. Ida Young won the hidden score. Shirley Elcome, Kay Smith and Ruth Kellett won moonshots.

Club 35 had fun at Euchre last Monday evening. Bill Jordan won the 50/50 draw and Stan Walters won lone hands. The high scorers were Dorothy Walters and David Lamb. Helen Windsor and Wally Harpur were the lows. Vicki Campagnolo took the baloney.

The three Bridge sites:

• At Echo Hills, playing Duplicate, on May 13, in North/South: Wynne and Morris Hansen were first with 57%; Muriel McIntosh and Ross Fletcher, second, with 52%; Helen McCracken and Gladys Fajar, third, with 51%. In

East/West: first, Vange and Jack Croucher with 72%; second, Carol McCord and Harold Cox with 56%; third, Mayme Douglas and Vera Carnochan with 52%.

At Stanhope, Tuesday afternoon, on May 18, there were good scores while playing contract bridge at the group's summer home at the Stanhope Community Centre. Three small slams were bid and made, two of them by Dorothy Strype with partners Gloria Moore and Frank Schlotter. The third slam was made by Len McNeice and Myrna McCarthy. After the afternoon of very competitive bridge: Len McNeice was in fourth place with 5500; Dorothy Strype, third with 5690; Diane Boll, second with 6140; and in top spot, the deserving, Ross Fletcher with 6320.

Finally, for the week of Duplicate Bridge, played at Park Lane on Wednesday, May 19, in the North/South position: Lourene Scott and Joan Galley, with 60%, were first; second with 57% were Ev and Fred Vanderland; third with 52% were Alex McLeod and Carol McCord. In East/West: in first with 58%, were Stella McMillan and Ross Davies; second, with 54%, Jack and Willie Cox; in third, with 53%, Nick Lehoczy and Mike Collins.

Best wishes for good cards in the following week!!

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Spring Boat RV Equipment consignment auction. Saturday June 12, 10 a.m. at the Mabee Auction Centre on Hwy 35 1 mile north of Rosedale or 7 km south of Cobocok 911#5933. Turn your unwanted marine, boats, watercraft, trailers, trucks, RVs, bikes and camping equipment into cash \$\$\$. Call today. Calvin Mabee Auctions Rosedale 705-374-4800 or toll free 1-800-797-9921. 5DE

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Experienced bus driver. Must be "B" licensed. Please reply to Box J, c/o The Times, Box 97, Minden, On. KOM 2K0. Job commencing September 7, 1999. 5BCD

HELP WANTED: Clerk/Deli assistant required in Minden area June 1 to September 30, 1999. Basic food handling techniques an asset. Must have own transportation, local references. We are seeking an honest, friendly, hardworking person. Apply to Box C, c/o The Times, Box 97, Minden, On. by May 25, 1999. 5C

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HELP WANTED: Receptionist for Real Estate Office. Part time. Moore Falls. Computer knowledge an asset. Senior student welcome. Phone 454-1000. 5D

HELP WANTED: Truck driver - now until October 31, 1999. D-Z Licence. Hard worker. Drop resumes off at Shepherd Septic Service #6798 Hwy 35 (1/4 mile north of Hwy 48) Monday-Saturday 9-5. (Only those called for interview will be notified.) 5D

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HELP WANTED: **CHACE Day Care** requires a part-time cook. Experience cooking for children and a good knowledge of Canada's Food Guide. Please send resumes to Wendy Sisson, P.O. Box 852, Minden, On. KOM 2K0 by May 31, 1999. 5D

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HELP WANTED: Experienced cooks and wait staff. Apply in person to **Jasper's Grill**, Highway 35, Minden. No phone calls please. 5D

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Flea Market & Bake Sale
Saturday July 10th
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489-2050, Ralph Johnson
489-3828 or Twp. Office
489-2379.

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Romans 16:24

The grace of our Lord Jesus
Christ (the Messiah) be with you
all. Amen (so be it).

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Volunteer Board Members Required

Haliburton County Home Support Services is a not-for-profit charitable organization which provides services to seniors (55+) and/or the Physically Challenged (18+) invites persons who are interested in sitting on the elected volunteer Board of Directors to contact our office before May 28th, 1999. The Annual General Meeting will take place on June 1, 1999. 5D

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Saturday, June 12, 1999
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Haliburton County Home Support Services

invites you to attend our 19th Annual General Meeting on **Tuesday, June 1, 1999, 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon** at our office located at Echo Hills Legion Building, Haliburton. Guest Speaker - Ruth Still, Project Organizer of HCHSS's "International Year of Older Persons". Topic "International Year of Older Persons". Light refreshments provided. Everyone welcome. Voting eligibility registered volunteers of HCHSS with 30 hours of documented volunteer time, 12 months prior to AGM.

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The Minden & District Horticultural Society invites you to their monthly meeting on June 1, at 7:15 p.m. **Note: New location, Minden Community Centre, upstairs at the new entrance.** Our presentation this month will be a video on the lily farm in Orono, Ontario called "You're in the Hayfield Now". This is a guide to growing and hybridizing daylilies in Ontario. Notice the date June 1. If you have a horticulture news letter it says June 8, this is incorrect. Remember the Spring plant sale at the Gazebo on June 4. Sales will not start until 2 p.m. We hope to see everyone there. *Don't forget, it's rhubarb dessert month - bring along your favourite recipe.* 5D

ATTENTION AREA MERCHANTS

The Kelly Miller Circus will be in Stanhope for one day only on July 26, 1999 with two performances 4:40 and 7:30 p.m. The Big Top will be located at Stanhope Firefighters Hall. Area merchants will be contacted to purchase children's tickets. Please support your Stanhope Volunteer Firefighters in this upcoming fundraising event. 5DE

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Group.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

Claims against the Estate of Ian Timoney Craig late of Lutterworth Twp. Rd., Kinmount, who died on February 13, 1999, must be in my hands by June 15th, 1999, after which date the estate will be distributed. Dated May 10th, 1999. Robert Craig, Executor of the Estate by Garry M. Cass, Solicitor, 203 1200 Sheppard Ave., E., Toronto, Ont. M2K 2S5 (416) 494-4899. 5BCD



AUCTION SALES

FARM SOLD: Auction Sale, Saturday, May 29, 1999 10:30 a.m. Property of Laverne and Ruth Eysers, Burnt River, Ontario. Directions: Go 12 miles north of Fenelon Falls on Hwy 121 to Burnt River. See signs. Selling: MF65 tractor and loader, 6 cyl diesel 4702 hrs c/w snow bucket, new tires, live PTO new clutch, 3 sections of drag harrows, John Deere 3 pt cultivators, 3 furrow 3 PHT Cockshutt plow, Ford Bush hog, old horse drawn equipment, 2 old scufflers, single horse drawn plow HD rake tine, Hanes yokes. Good farm related items new. Stihl O23 chain saw, 24' aluminum extension ladder and 8 ft. stepladder, Stihl wood eater gas, electric heaters, 5 h.p. rototillers, Turf Master 12.5 h.p. 42" riding mower, wheelbarrow, shop Delta 10" table saw, Shopvac, yard light, Chev stock racks, John Deere 24" 60V chain saw, electric 12 V fencer, logging chains and cable, box trailer. Many good tools, woodworking and farm related tool chest full of good wrenches, handtools, power tools, belt sander, bench vise, B&D Workmate, set Michelin 15" tires P225, many antiques and collectable tools, antique grain cradle, Adze, canthook, broad axe, skidding tongs, ice tongs, hand corn planter, buck-saw, wood pulleys, shovels and rakes, jacks, crosscut and swedesaws, double head axe, bear trap toe binders, canteen, picnic table hexagon, lawn furniture, propane BBQ, 16' cedar strip canoe, lumber 1" pine, oak planks, mixed 2x4x6" & 8x10" Approx. 125 bales straw, antique and household appliances etc. Antique Morris chair, 2 pce chesterfield suite, washer & dryer, freezer and household collectables, firewood and more. Don't miss it. Terms cash. No reserve. Lunch available. **Calvin Mabee Auctions** 705-374-4800 Cambray or 705-454-2841 Rosedale. 5D

AUCTION SALES

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AUCTION SALES

ESTATE AUCTION - for Fred Stank and other consignors. Saturday, June 5, 1999 11 a.m. at Norm Mills Sales & Auction Centre, Minden. Partial listing: M.T.D. rear tyre tiller (used once), Ariens tiller (new, never used), BBQ, 5' aluminum paint ladder, 3.8 h.p. lawn mower, Zenith colour TV, Kirby vacuum cleaner model 1505, White sewing machine, Bontempi keyboard, 8 assorted fans, hedge trimmer, weed eater, Skilsaw, Jig saw, glue clamps, aluminum extension ladder, assorted hand saws. Electric, Tilting, Vibrating bed (\$3,200 new) hardly used! Quasar camcorder - Come & test!! Green & white lawn chairs, hoses, garden tools, wheelbarrow, twin beds, double beds, coffee tables, end tables, rockers, chesterfields, plant stand, magazine rack, lady's dressers, tall boy, room air humidifier, 2 drawer file cabinet, full assortment of kitchen items, kitchen chairs, small airtight woodstove, 8 shelf stainless steel bake dolly, fridge, 12 drawer hobby desk, Olympia typewriter, printers, calculators, dictaphone, 6 portable room dividers and much more. To list your auction or for appraisals, call early. **Norm Mills** 705-286-3535. 5DE

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CARDS OF THANKS

THANK YOU

One cannot say "Thank You" enough for everything that has been done for Lesley, Robert and me during Fred's illness and recent passing. Once again I have to say Minden (and the surrounding communities) are THE place to live. My sincere appreciation for everything to one and all.

Bess Cox.

The family of the late Lee E. Oster, who died on March 1, 1999, would like to thank all his many friends and associates for their kindness following his death. Lee resided in the Minden area for about 25 years and was very active in a number of associations and organizations. He was noted as THE ticket seller. Lee's funeral mass was celebrated at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church in Minden. He was interred in Mount Hope Cemetery in Toronto beside his late wife Florence. Lee will miss R.I.F.

On behalf of my family, both here and in Cochrane, sincere thanks for the flowers, donations, cards and expressions of sympathy following the loss of my dad. Your caring is much appreciated.

Pat Brezina

AT REST

YOUNG, Hazel
(Formerly of Coboconk,
Ontario)

At Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay on Monday, May 17, 1999 in her 92nd year. Beloved wife of the late William Albert Young who predeceased her in 1978. Loving mother of the late Wilford (1993). Fondly remembered by her daughter in law Grace Young and grandchildren Betty and her husband Rick Silverstone, Darlene and Paul and her great grandchildren Dawn and Jason and many nieces and nephews. Predeceased by her brothers and sisters, Bruce (1911), Harold (1969), Blanche (1984), Marguerite (1984) and Wilford (1995). Hazel was the last surviving member of her family. Friends were invited to call at the Coboconk Community Funeral Home, Cameron Street (on Hwy #35) in Coboconk on Thursday evening May 20, 1999 from 7-9 p.m. and on Friday afternoon, May 21, 1999 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel Saturday morning, May 22, 1999 at 11 o'clock. Reception followed at Knox United Church Hall, Coboconk. Interment later at Rosemount Memorial Gardens, Peterborough at 2:45 p.m. As expressions of sympathy donations to a charity of choice would be appreciated by the family.



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